Amendment to the Specification

Please replace the paragraph starting on page 1, line 6 and ending on page 1, line 11 of the present application as originally filed with the following marked-up paragraph:

This application claims priority from: (1) U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 60/189,639, filed March 14, 2000, and entitled "ETHERNET STORAGE PROTOCOLS FOR COMPUTER NETWORKS;." and (2) This application is also a continuation-in-part of co-pending U.S. Patent Application No. 09/490,630, filed January 24, 2000, from which priority under 35 U.S.C. § 120 is claimed, and entitled "METHODS FOR IMPLEMENTING AN ETHERNET STORAGE PROTOCOL IN COMPUTER NETWORKS." which claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 60/117,226, filed January 26, 1999, and entitled "SCSI OVER ETHERNET," and which also claims benefit of U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 60/163,266, filed November 3, 1999, and entitled "SCSI OVER ETHERNET." The aforementioned applications Nos. 60/189,639 and 09/490,630 are herein incorporated by reference.